



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the application of:

Inventor(s) : Hideyuki NAITO *et al.*  
Serial Number : 10/751,735  
Filed : January 6, 2006  
For : BINDING FOR SNOWBOARD  
Examiner : Bridget A. Avery  
Art Unit : 3618

**VOLUNTARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

June 29, 2007

Dear Sir:

The following amendments and remarks are in response to the Official action mailed March 9, 2007. The Official action set forth a three-month period for response, and a petition for a one-month extension of time is attached hereto, making the request for continued examination (RCE) filed together herewith due on or before July 9, 2007.

**Claim amendments** are reflected in the Listing of Claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.